

U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, DC 20530

OMB NO. 1124-0002; Expires February 28, 2014

Supplemental Statement

**Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of
1938, as amended**

For Six Month Period Ending 6/30/2013

(Insert date)

I - REGISTRANT

1. (a) Name of Registrant

(b) Registration No.

Jetro Atlanta

4069

(c) Business Address(es) of Registrant

245 Peachtree Center Avenue

Marquis I Tower, Suite 2208

Atlanta, Georgia 30303

2. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following?

(a) If an individual:

(1) Residence address(es) Yes ☐ No ☐

(2) Citizenship Yes ☐ No ☐

(3) Occupation Yes ☐ No ☐

(b) If an organization:

(1) Name Yes ☐ No ☒

(2) Ownership or control Yes ☐ No ☒

(3) Branch offices Yes ☐ No ☒

(c) Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in Items (a) and (b) above.

None

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSE TO ITEMS 3, 4, AND 5(a).

3. If you have previously filed Exhibit C¹, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6 month reporting period.

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, have you filed an amendment to the Exhibit C? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

¹ The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorporation, association, and by laws of a registrant that is an organization. (A waiver of the requirement to file an Exhibit C may be obtained for good cause upon written application to the Assistant Attorney General, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530.)

4. (a) Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

| Name | Position | Date Connection Ended |
|------|----------|-----------------------|
|------|----------|-----------------------|

(b) Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, furnish the following information:

| Name | Residence Address | Citizenship | Position | Date Assumed |
|-------------|--|-------------|--|--------------|
| Sumiko Sone | 6355 Peachtree Dunwoody Road #425 Atlanta, Georgia 30328 | Japan | Director of Business Development | 4/1/2013 |

5. (a) Has any person named in Item 4(b) rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each such person and describe the service rendered.

Name: Sumiko Sone

Description: Focus on a variety of economic research projects in the southeastern region of the United States. Also participates in public relations programs, international trade and direct investment with between the US and Japan.

(b) During this six month reporting period, has the registrant hired as employees or in any other capacity, any persons who rendered or will render services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal(s) in other than a clerical or secretarial, or in a related or similar capacity? Yes ☒ No ☐

| Name | Residence Address | Citizenship | Position | Date Assumed |
|-------------|--|-------------|--|--------------|
| Sumiko Sone | 6355 Peachtree Dunwoody Road #425 Atlanta, Georgia 30328 | Japan | Director of Business Development | 4/1/2013 |

(c) Have any employees or individuals, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

| Name | Position or Connection | Date Terminated |
|------|------------------------|-----------------|
|------|------------------------|-----------------|

(d) Have any employees or individuals, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their connection with any foreign principal during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

| Name | Position or Connection | Foreign Principal | Date Terminated |
|------|------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
|------|------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|

6. Have short form registration statements been filed by all of the persons named in Items 5(a) and 5(b) of the supplemental statement?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, list names of persons who have not filed the required statement.

Short form for Sumiko Sone accompanies this filing document.

II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

7. Has your connection with any foreign principal ended during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒
If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal

Date of Termination

8. Have you acquired any new foreign principal(s)² during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒
If yes, furnish the following information:

Name and Address of Foreign Principal(s)

Date Acquired

9. In addition to those named in Items 7 and 8, if any, list foreign principal(s)² whom you continued to represent during the 6 month reporting period.

Japan External Trade Organization (Tokyo, Japan)

10. (a) Have you filed exhibits for the newly acquired foreign principal(s), if any, listed in Item 8?

Exhibit A³ Yes ☐ No ☐Exhibit B⁴ Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required exhibit.

- (b) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and B previously filed for any foreign principal whom you represented during this six month period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, have you filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

² The term "foreign principal" includes, in addition to those defined in section 1(b) of the Act, an individual organization any of whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in major part by a foreign government, foreign political party, foreign organization or foreign individual. (See Rule 100(a) (9)). A registrant who represents more than one foreign principal is required to list in the statements he files under the Act only those principals for whom he is not entitled to claim exemption under Section 3 of the Act. (See Rule 208.)

³ The Exhibit A, which is filed on Form NSD-3 (Formerly CRM-157) sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.

⁴ The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form NSD-4 (Formerly CRM-155) sets forth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.

III - ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, have you engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each foreign principal and describe in full detail your activities and services:

Please see Attachment 1

12. During this 6 month reporting period, have you on behalf of any foreign principal engaged in political activity⁵ as defined below? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures or radio and TV broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter.

Please see Attachment 2

13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, have you engaged in activity on your own behalf which benefits your foreign principal(s)? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, describe fully.

⁵ The term "political activity" means any activity that the person engaging in believes will, or that the person intends to, in any way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

IV - FINANCIAL INFORMATION**14. (a) RECEIPTS-MONIES**

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received from any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise? Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, explain why.

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies.⁶

| Date | From Whom | Purpose | Amount |
|------|-----------|---------|--------|
|------|-----------|---------|--------|

Please See
Attachment 3.

Total

(b) RECEIPTS - FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received, as part of a fundraising campaign⁷, any money on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, have you filed an Exhibit D to your registration? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, indicate the date the Exhibit D was filed. Date _____

(c) RECEIPTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received any thing of value⁹ other than money from any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

| Foreign Principal | Date Received | Thing of Value | Purpose |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|---------|
|-------------------|---------------|----------------|---------|

6, 7 A registrant is required to file an Exhibit D if he collects or receives contributions, loans, moneys, or other things of value for a foreign principal, as part of a fundraising campaign. (See Rule 201(e)).

8 An Exhibit D, for which no printed form is provided, sets forth an account of money collected or received as a result of a fundraising campaign and transmitted for a foreign principal.

9 Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

15. (a) **DISBURSEMENTS-MONIES**

During this 6 month reporting period, have you

(1) disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

(2) transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes ☐ No ☒

If no, explain in full detail why there were no disbursements made on behalf of any foreign principal.

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

| Date | To Whom | Purpose | Amount |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|--------|
| Please See Attachment 4 | | | |

Total

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(b) DISBURSEMENTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you disposed of anything of value¹⁰ other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement?

Yes ☐

No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

| Date | Recipient | Foreign Principal | Thing of Value | Purpose |
|------|-----------|-------------------|----------------|---------|
|------|-----------|-------------------|----------------|---------|

(c) DISBURSEMENTS-POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, have you from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value¹¹ in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office?

Yes ☐

No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

| Date | Amount or Thing of Value | Political Organization or Candidate | Location of Event |
|------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
|------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|

^{10, 11} Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks" and the like.

V - INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS

16. (a) During this 6 month reporting period, did you prepare, disseminate or cause to be disseminated any informational materials?¹²
 Yes ☒ No ☐

If Yes, go to Item 17.

- (b) If you answered No to Item 16(a), do you disseminate any material in connection with your registration?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If Yes, please forward the materials disseminated during the six month period to the Registration Unit for review.

17. Identify each such foreign principal.

Japan External Trade Organization (Tokyo, Japan)

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has any foreign principal established a budget or allocated a specified sum of money to finance your activities in preparing or disseminating informational materials? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, specify amount, and indicate for what period of time.

19. During this 6 month reporting period, did your activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of informational materials include the use of any of the following:

- ☐ Radio or TV broadcasts ☐ Magazine or newspaper ☐ Motion picture films ☐ Letters or telegrams
☐ Advertising campaigns ☒ Press releases ☒ Pamphlets or other publications ☒ Lectures or speeches
☐ Other (specify) _____

Electronic Communications

- ☒ Email
☒ Website URL(s): www.jetro.go.jp www.jetro.org
☐ Social media websites URL(s): _____
☐ Other (specify) _____

20. During this 6 month reporting period, did you disseminate or cause to be disseminated informational materials among any of the following groups:

- ☐ Public officials ☐ Newspapers ☐ Libraries
☐ Legislators ☐ Editors ☒ Educational institutions
☒ Government agencies ☐ Civic groups or associations ☐ Nationality groups
☒ Other (specify) Business People

21. What language was used in the informational materials:

- ☒ English ☒ Other (specify) Japanese

22. Did you file with the Registration Unit, U.S. Department of Justice a copy of each item of such informational materials disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☒ No ☐

23. Did you label each item of such informational materials with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act?

Yes ☒ No ☐

¹² The term informational materials includes any oral, visual, graphic, written, or pictorial information or matter of any kind, including that published by means of advertising, books, periodicals, newspapers, lectures, broadcasts, motion pictures, or any means or instrumentality of interstate or foreign commerce or otherwise. Informational materials disseminated by an agent of a foreign principal as part of an activity in itself exempt from registration, or an activity which by itself would not require registration, need not be filed pursuant to Section 4(b) of the Act.

VI - EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) under penalty of perjury that he/she has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he/she is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to truth or accuracy of the information contained in the attached Short Form Registration Statement(s), if any, insofar as such information is not within his/her (their) personal knowledge.

(Date of signature)

(Print or type name under each signature or provide electronic signature¹³)

July 26, 2013

K. Kimura

Keiichi Kimura

¹³ This statement shall be signed by the individual agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions, if the registrant is an organization, except that the organization can, by power of attorney, authorize one or more individuals to execute this statement on its behalf.

Attachment 1

JETRO Atlanta (Reg.#4069)

Regarding Item 11:

The Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) headquarters is located in Tokyo, Japan. It was established by a special law in Japan as a non-profit, Japanese government-supported organization dedicated to promoting mutually beneficial economic, trade and investment relations between Japan and other nations. In the USA, JETRO currently maintains offices in New York, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Houston, Chicago and Atlanta. These offices provide information relating to the Japanese economy and business, as well as US-Japan relations. The functions of JETRO's US offices are believed to be very similar to those of the United States Trade Center (of the US Department of Commerce) in Japan. As the Atlanta-based office of JETRO, JETRO Atlanta provides to public officials, associations, individuals and any other interested parties, information and materials relating to various aspects of the Japanese economy and business, as well as US-Japan economic and trade relations. JETRO Atlanta also monitors the development of US economic and market conditions for JETRO.

Activities of JETRO Atlanta Staff (Attachment 2)

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Title</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Occasion</u> | <u>Venue</u> | <u>Activity</u> |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|--|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Keiichi Kimura | Chief Executive Director | 6/7/2013 | 10 th Annual Florida-Japan Summit | University of South Florida | Business in Japan Panelist |

Attachment 3

JETRO Atlanta (Reg.# 4069)**Response to Item 14.(a) RECEIPTS-MONIES:**

During this filing period (1/1/2013-6/30/2013), JETRO Atlanta received the following amount of money for general purposes from the foreign principal.

| <u>Month/Year</u> | <u>From JETRO, Tokyo</u> | <u>Purposes</u> |
|-------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Jan-13 | 32,404.00 | For: General Purposes & Salaries |
| Feb-13 | 31,968.00 | For: General Purposes & Salaries |
| Mar-13 | 33,314.00 | For: General Purposes & Salaries |
| Apr-13 | 33,408.00 | For: General Purposes & Salaries |
| May-13 | 32,928.00 | For: General Purposes & Salaries |
| Jun-13 | 34,464.00 | For: General Purposes & Salaries |
| | \$198,486.00 | |

Attachment 4

JETRO Atlanta (Reg.# 4069)**Response to Item 15.(a) DISBURSEMENTS-MONIES:**

During this filing period (1/1/2013-6/30/2013), JETRO Atlanta disbursed or expended monies in connection with activities and services on behalf of its foreign principal as follows:

For JETRO, Tokyo, JAPAN:

| | | (US\$) |
|------------|---|---------------------|
| Month/Year | Purpose | Amount |
| Jan-13 | Salaries | 19,804.00 |
| | Miscellaneous outside service fees: | |
| | Kai-Tech Solutions - PC maintenance fee (for JAN/2013) | 650.00 |
| | 1-800-GOT-JUNK? for removal of old office furnitures/equipment | 443.00 |
| | Office and administrative expenses, including rent, travel, lodging, etc. | 11,413.00 |
| Feb-13 | Salaries | 19,368.00 |
| | Miscellaneous outside service fees: | |
| | Kai-Tech Solutions - PC maintenance fee (for FEB/2013) | 650.00 |
| | Office and administrative expenses, including rent, travel, lodging, etc. | 14,396.00 |
| Mar-13 | Salaries | 20,714.00 |
| | Miscellaneous outside service fees: | |
| | Kai-Tech Solutions - PC maintenance fee (for MAR/2013) | 650.00 |
| | Office and administrative expenses, including rent, travel, lodging, etc. | 12,523.00 |
| Apr-13 | Salaries | 20,508.00 |
| | Miscellaneous outside service fees: | |
| | Kai-Tech Solutions - PC maintenance fee (for APR/2013) | 650.00 |
| | Office and administrative expenses, including rent, travel, lodging, etc. | 20,142.00 |
| May-13 | Salaries | 20,428.00 |
| | Miscellaneous outside service fees: | |
| | Kai-Tech Solutions - PC maintenance fee (for MAY/2013) | 650.00 |
| | Office and administrative expenses, including rent, travel, lodging, etc. | 16,452.00 |
| Jun-13 | Salaries | 21,664.00 |
| | Miscellaneous outside service fees: | |
| | Kai-Tech Solutions - PC maintenance fee (for JUN/2013) | 650.00 |
| | Office and administrative expenses, including rent, travel, lodging, etc. | 11,601.00 |
| | | \$213,356.00 |



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**A Highly Competitive Japanese Subsidy Program
for Establishing A New Regional HQ or R&D Site in Japan
Application Deadline June 3, 2013 (noon, Japan Time)**

April 30, 2013

San Francisco, CA - The Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) is currently promoting the annual Japanese subsidy program: Subsidy Program for Projects Promoting Asian Site Location in Japan. The application deadline is **12:00 noon, Monday, June 3, 2013 (Japan time)**.

The program is coordinated by the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) of Japan since 2010, aiming at proactively inviting high value added businesses in the Japanese industries. This highly competitive Japanese subsidy program provides incentives of up to 500,000,000 yen to global companies planning to establish business operations in Japan such as **Regional Headquarters or R&D Sites**.

- + **Applicable Companies:** Private enterprises whose group companies are operating actual business in two or more countries, who have or will have corporate status in Japan, and who plan to establish a Regional Headquarters or R&D facility in Japan.
- + **Subsidized Costs:** Survey design costs, facility costs, equipment costs and facility rental charges
- + **Subsidy Rates:** Up to one-half for SMEs; up to one-third for non-SMEs; up to two-thirds for those establishing a site in the disaster afflicted zones (Limit: 500 million yen)

Japan, one of the largest economies in the world, remains an attractive location for business and investment, with exceptionally highly-skilled workers as one of the advantages. In the past two years, METI funded 14 projects from companies around the globe including the following U.S.-owned companies (in alphabetical order):

- 2012 : GE Japan Limited, Johnson & Johnson K.K., Tenneco Japan Ltd.
- 2011 : 3M Health Care Ltd., NeoPhotonics Japan G.K., Nihon Cabot Microelectronics K.K.

JETRO, a government related organization, helps foreign companies set up a Japan office. "The Japanese government is serious about helping foreign companies do business in Japan. This subsidy is a very generous incentive program for foreign companies," says a JETRO representative. The subsidy program will help lower a company's overall costs of entering the Japanese markets, which will encourage the company to invest in Japan.



The 2013 program was announced on Monday, April 1, 2013. Applications will be accepted **until 12:00 noon, Monday, June 3, 2013 (Japan time)**.

For details, please visit the JETRO USA website: www.jetro.org/subsidy2013

Contacts

For any questions about the subsidy program, please contact the nearest JETRO office in the U.S. and Canada (www.jetro.org/office_locations):

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About JETRO USA (www.jetro.org)

The Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) is a non-profit government related organization that promotes trade and investment between Japan and the rest of the world. Our six U.S. branches located in Atlanta, Chicago, Houston, Los Angeles, New York and San Francisco serve the following four main objectives: Help U.S. companies establish a Japan office, Help U.S. companies find Japanese business partners, Connect U.S. investors with cutting-edge Japanese technology ventures and Showcase premium Japanese goods.

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